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The Slickest Way Is to Buy  
**A BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPER**

**TAHEADAS USUAL**  
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the young man of today can enjoy the sunset of life in ease when old age has unfitted him for the struggles of a broad winner. Under our system of life insurance you provide both for your family and yourself in later years. Call and see how to repose in security at the milestone of three score and ten. In strength prepare for feebleens.

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Respectfully,  
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May . . . . . 72 2/3  
July . . . . . 72 3/4 . . . . . 72b

### CORN—

May . . . . . 49

July . . . . . 44 3/4

OATS—

May . . . . . 26 1/2

July . . . . . 25 1/2

### PROVISIONS

PORK—

July . . . . . 14.37

May . . . . . 14.52

LARD—

July . . . . . 8.17

May . . . . . 8.05

RIBS—

July . . . . . 8.22

May . . . . . 7.95

N. Y. COTTON—

May . . . . . 8.06

July . . . . . 8.08

Aug . . . . . 7.73

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Memphis, April 24.—The police and

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the robbers who held up a Choctaw

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ture.

SUPREME COURT

ADJOURS MAY 27.

Washington, April 23.—In the

United States supreme court today

Chief Justice Fuller announced the

final adjournment of the court for the

term on the 27th of May. The call

on the docket will be suspended next

Friday and the court will take a re-

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Mr. Robert Bonnin and Miss Lottie Odell left on the noon train for Litchfield, Ill., to join the Pawnee Bill Wild West shows. They informed a Sun reporter that they were married on April 3, in Metropolis and had kept the marriage a secret so as to spring a surprise on their friends when they left the city.

Mr. Bonnin is the son of Mrs. Kate Bonnin, of 521 Washington street. He was for several years a member of the Central fire department but for the past several months has been employed in the blacksmith shop of Mr. A. W. Greif.

Miss Odell came from the west, especially among the railroad men.

A delegation from the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen left this afternoon to take charge of the remains and take them to Wingo.

The deceased was a son of Mr. Edward Lucas, of Wingo, and was about 23 years old.

He was not a relative of Mr. Ed Lucas, of this county.

He had a freight run to Mound, Ill.

## COMPLICATION OF DISEASES

## MR. T. G. JONES, A WELL KNOWN CITIZEN, DIES AT HIS HOME

On North Third Street—He Was Forty-Two Years Old and Unmarried—Funeral at Three O'clock Tomorrow

Marriage license was issued today to Mr. John Zaller, a well known blacksmith, and Miss Teresa Peacock, of Chicago. The marriage will take place today.

## DESPONDENT YOUNG WIFE.

MRS. W. F. HARRIS TOOK MORPHINE WITH SUICIDAL INTENT.

Mrs. W. F. Harris, aged 17, attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by taking a dose of morphine about 5 o'clock at the home of her mother, 1025 South Fifth street.

Dr. Troutman, after hard work, got her out of danger. She was formerly a Miss Stephens, and married Mr. Harris, who is 55 years old and a blacksmith, only a few months ago.

Recently he left her and had the furniture seized and carted away from the house in which they resided, on Norton street near Fifth. She returned to her mother, and says she has tried to induce her husband to return and live with her but he refuses, and there is no further happiness for her in this life.

LEAVES A FAMILY.

Mrs. J. F. Dowdy, aged 48, died at her home on the Mayfield road this morning from a complication, leaving a husband and seven children. The funeral will take place in the morning.

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Manila, April 24.—Gen. Salas and his officers have surrendered, and his army will surrender immediately in Viscaynas. This terminates the insurrection.

It is thought, however, that the United States will be unable for some time to come to materially reduce its force in the Philippines. This is the opinion of Brigadier-General James R. Campbell, who recently returned from Manila. Gen. Campbell adds that although a large force will have little to do in the islands after civic rule has been established and there is no danger of another insurrection, it will not do to reduce the force for some time to show that the administration intends to uphold the civic authorities and to protect the people from brigands. In a year from now 25,000 soldiers will be able to garrison the entire archipelago, but at the present time it is advisable to maintain a comparatively large force.

LITTLE ROCK, April 23.—Seven masked robbers held up the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Western train at Bridge Junction, near here, at 12 o'clock last night.

When the train reached the crossing, the seven men appeared. All had handkerchiefs tied over their faces. Two climbed onto the engine and compelled the engineer to stop. They uncoupled the engine and express car and forced the crew to take the cars down the road a mile from the bridge crossing. When they arrived at an isolated point they put out the headlight and the balance of the crew of highwaymen began work on the express train.

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## MARRIED AT MAYFIELD.

MR. CHAS. PARHAM, A PADUCAH BOY, WEDS MISS SARA FOSTER.

Mr. Chas. H. Parham, formerly of Paducah, and Miss Sara G. Foster, of Mayfield, were married at Mayfield last evening at 6 o'clock.

Mr. Parham is a brother of Mrs. Hall, of the Southern Hotel, and is clerk there. His bride is daughter of Mr. R. E. Foster, a well known grocer.

They left for a trip south, and will be at home at the Southern Hotel after May 1.

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The fine horses purchased by Mayor Lang and Lockup Keeper Menifee arrived today on the New South.

## MR. FOWLER GOES TO BUFFALO

Mr. Saunders Fowler has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., to look after the new shaft ordered for the steamer Dick Fowler. The shaft is to be made there and will probably not be here for a week or two yet.

—The supervisors will probably finish the city tax books today.

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AFTERNOON AND WEEKLY.

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It is said that the Boer war is bearing heavily on the British Lion.

At Anna, Ill., two cats have smallpox, but some of the citizens of Paducah who have planted flowers declare that isn't half as bad as having all the cows afflicted with somnambulism.

Senator Eldridge, of Tennessee, sprung a sensation in the legislature by declaring that Comptroller Harris had offered him \$500 to vote for the Terminal bill. The idea of offering only \$500!

Now that the excitement over Aguinaldo's capture has died down, the report has been started and vouchered for by "reliable persons" that it is not Aguinaldo at all, but Aguinaldo's cousin who is in custody. The staff correspondents must have something to write about.

Scientists have practically demonstrated that the Boxer uprising was due to hysteria, to which the Chinese, despite their tranquil demeanor, are particularly prone, and that Mrs. Nation's antics are due to the same species of disease. In neither instance, however, have they suggested a remedy.

The Metropolis Herald of Thursday thus apologizes for its appearance on half a sheet:

The Herald appears as a half sheet today, for the reason that the paper for the regular four page size has failed to arrive from St. Louis. It is one of those circumstances which make publishers swear and which we cannot help.

The editor fails to state how hard he swore, but judging from the looks of the paper he had plenty of time, and doubtless did a good job.

The supreme court of the United States has decided that a divorce, in order to be valid in states other than the one in which it is granted, must have been applied for and obtained in a state where the couple have had a matrimonial domicile, or more plainly, in a state where they have resided as man and wife. There is a great demand for a modification of the divorce laws of the country so as to make them universally applicable, the same in one state as in another, and the recent decision of the supreme court seems to have aroused public and press to the advantages and necessities of a general law governing both marriages and divorces in this country.

Mr. Bryan, in the Commoner, published yesterday, further evidences his disapproval of that so-called Democratic victory, the election of Mr. Rolla Wells as mayor of St. Louis. He says: "The St. Louis Chronicle is charging that Mayor Wells was elected by fraud. This is adding insult to injury. To run seventeen thousand votes behind the national ticket, and then own his election to Republican votes, is bad enough, without having a suspicion cast on his title. The election of Mr. Wells in St. Louis has served at least one useful purpose. It has brought out the fact that the great dailies which bolted the Democratic national ticket in 1896 and in 1900 are unanimous in the opinion that it is an unpardonable sin to oppose the election of a candidate on a municipal ticket, especially when that candidate refuses to accept the principles of the party which nominated him."

It has become an extremely serious offense in this state to steal anything however trivial, especially if the property is subsequently sold by the thief. The higher courts have decided that where a person sells stolen

property, even if he makes no pretense at all, but simply collects the money, by so doing he tacitly represents to the purchaser that the property is his own, and in selling it obtains what is paid him, by false pretenses. In this way an article worth less than half a dollar, stolen and disposed of, has landed a number of offenders in the penitentiary from one to five years in the courts here. But for the new construction of the law, the prisoner would probably have served a few months in jail for petty larceny, and then been released to do more petty stealing. One example of the good effects of the law is found in the case of a tramp who stole a cloak in Paducah from a dummy last winter and sold it for seventy-five cents. He probably thought if he got caught, he would be given thirty or sixty days in jail for petty larceny, the article being valued at less than \$20, and thus secure a good home for the cold winter months. Instead, he was tried day before yesterday for obtaining money by false pretenses, and given three years. Thus for seventy-five cents which he could have earned in less than a day at most any kind of work, he will now have to spend three years at hard labor, deprived of his liberty, and when he is free again carry with him through life the brand of a felon. This is only one of many examples that might be found. If there is anything the average thief lacks more than honesty it is intelligence, for it is safe to assume that a majority of such crimes are committed with the firm belief that they will never be detected and the culprit punished, although the overflowing condition of all the prisons is conclusive proof to the contrary.

Paducah is to become a second class city in less than a year, and under the charter of cities of the second class there is no city marshal. A Democratic primary is to be held in May, at which a candidate for city marshal is to be nominated. It seems that it would save unnecessary trouble and expense for the present city council, which has the power under the charter, to abolish the office at once, before any nomination is made for the place. The ordinance abolishing it could not be effective until the term of the present marshal expires in December, and as the charter provides "The common council may, by ordinance, abolish or restore the office of marshal, and when so abolished the duties herein imposed on the marshal shall be performed by such other officer as the common council shall designate or appoint," the few weeks intervening before the city entered the second class could be filled by some one appointed or designated by the council. If the charter of cities of the second class does not provide for a marshal, it is reasonable to assume that no marshal is needed. If no marshal is needed, what is the use in making a nomination, if one is not to be elected in November, and why elect one in November, if one will not be needed after January? If a marshal is elected in November it will mean an unnecessary expense for an unnecessary officer for the next four years, and as the council knows this, there is no reason why it should defer abolishing the office, unless it intends to saddle this additional expense on the people for four years.

A Chicago attorney adopted a rather unusual method of showing his disapproval of officious relatives who had been instrumental in separating him and his young wife. He wrote a note that has been published to the world, declaring that certain relatives whom he names were the cause of the ensuing tragedy, and then killed his wife and committed suicide. Such things ought to be an admonition to meddlesome people, but past experiences justify the belief that they are not.

The Louisville Board of Trade Journal has made its bow to the public. It is a journal to be devoted exclusively to the business interests of Louisville, Kentucky, and the south. It will be published semi-monthly and its projectors are Messrs. Perry Farnesley, president, and J. E. Shelton, secretary and treasurer. The latter is a Mayfield boy and formerly worked in Paducah on The Sun.

**SHOT AT NEWBERN**

Frank Lutz, a Paducah Boy, Was Killed There Last Night.

**A BROTHER HERE NOTIFIED**

The Name of His Slayer Is James Childress and Both Were Working on a Farm.

**BURIAL AT UNION CITY, TENNESSEE**

From Saturday's Daily

Frank Lutz, a well known young man of Paducah, was shot and killed last evening about 8 o'clock by James Childress, near Newbern, Tenn., on a farm where both were at work.

Young Lutz was a brother to Messrs. Tom and Louis Lutz, of Paducah, and was until about six weeks ago employed as a varnisher at the Paducah Furniture factory, of which one of his brothers, Mr. Louis Lutz, is foreman.

He went to Newbern and secured work on a farm belonging to the father of his slayer, a man named Childress. It is not known how the trouble came about, but it is supposed both young men were drinking, and had a fight.

Mr. Louis Lutz attempted to talk over the long distance telephone this morning and learn the particulars, but could not understand what was said on account of the high winds.

The dead man was 26 years old, and unmarried. His parents also live with his brother at 1027 South Fourth street.

Messrs Louis and Tom Lutz leave this evening for Newbern, and will take the remains to Union City, Tenn., their former home, for burial tomorrow.

The People's Friend—The SUN.

**BLACK SILKS**

The demand for black silk never diminishes. Good reason. What other fabric blends elegance and serviceableness so evenly? The spring crop is flourishing here; beautiful sheaves of splendid black silk that may be gathered at the littlest of little prices.

All silk black pongee, 32 inches wide, 75c.  
All silk, black foulards, soft finish, will not crack, 75c.  
All silk, black peacock sole, fine kid finish, \$1.00.  
All silk, black crepe de chine, very rich, \$1.00.**COATS AND CAPE**

April sunshine is delightful, but it is uncertain. You know the moods of April, so changeable, blows warm and cold by turns. Don't trifle with the imp that makes the air sharp and biting in the morning and evening; wear a spring jacket or cape. The cost of ours is next to nothing.

**HOSIERY**Women's Ingrain Lisle Thread Hose, Richelieu and Rembrandt ribbed, double heels and toes, 25c.  
Women's black lace lisle thread hose, large variety of openwork patterns, our own importation, 50c.  
Ladies' black lace hose 10c per pair, three for 25c.**LACES AT HALF**

Laces at half price. You need not be surprised. That's a very frequent happening here. Cotton torchon laces with insertion to match, a 6c value, our price 3c.

**CARPETS, MATTINGS, LINOLEUMS.**

The figures in annex that follow tell all. They will secure the rights of the stock. Words come easy, but they are not needed to strengthen our claims. We print just three items that point the way to a score of others equally surprising. All are unique results of our progressive methods.

3 pieces velvet carpets, made and laid at 85c per yard.  
2 pieces all wool extra super, good styles but dropped patterns, a 60c value for 50c per yard.  
10 pieces straw mattings, a lot of odd pieces, an 18c value at 15c.**L. B. OGILVIE & CO.,**

AGENT BUTTERICK PATTERNS.

**Wisconsin a Sheep State.**

If one half the men who are now meditating settlement in the "burnt" lands of north Wisconsin, really do settle there, and take their flocks with them, it will be the liveliest sheep country this side of sundown.—American Sheep Breeder.

Ruled Mexico Twenty-Four Years.  
When the presidential term closed on Nov. 30 General Porfirio Diaz had controlled the affairs of the Mexican republic for a period of twenty-four years, and under his wise, benevolent and energetic rule he has seen Mexico rise from a condition of industrial, commercial and political prostration and darkness to a position which places it in an eminent niche among nations of the world.**WOMEN TO STRIVE FOR GOLF HONORS.**

Whole Country Interested in Woman's Championship Tournament to be Played next Augus.



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WE TOOK ALL THE MANUFACTURER HAD.

Got 'Em Cheap--Will Sell 'Em Cheap.

FANCY WORSTEDS--CASSIMERES--SERGES.

Blues, Blacks, Stripes, Plaids.

All New Patterns All New Cuts.

\* First Come First Served. \*

FIRST---IT WAS OUR CHANCE  
We Grabbed It.

NOW---IT'S YOUR CHANCE

See That You Grab It.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS. DON'T DELAY

If you are compelled to say, I Wish I Had Come Earlier, Remember  
We Warned You. \* \* \* \* \*

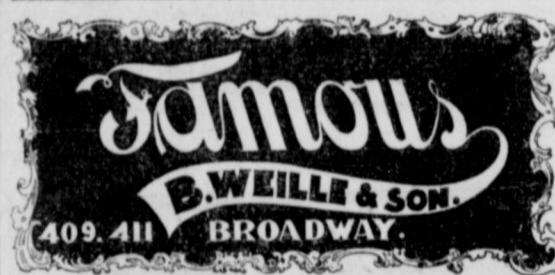
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READ!

None Exchanged.

YOUR FREE CHOICE  
OF  
500 BOYS' STRAW HATS 500  
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Regular  
25c 50c  
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Get the Right Size.



We Give FREE With Each  
BOYS' SUIT  
Choice of a Tie, Pair Suspenders  
—OR—  
A BASE-BALL OUTFIT.



### BARDWELL ENTERPRISE.

ARCHITECT B. B. DAVIS  
DRAWS PLANS FOR THE  
NEW MILL AND  
ELEVATOR.

Architect B. B. Davis, of the city, has designed a new mill and elevator for Bardwell, Ky., and the structure will be one of the most complete in the state. Contracts have been let for the building, which will have a capacity of 150 barrels a day, and the elevator with a capacity of 50,000 bushels.

The proprietors of the mill are Ed. Stapp and J. W. Jones. Bardwell subscribed \$1,000 and donated the ground for the enterprise. Work begins this week.

No Dolls Made in Korea.  
There are no dolls made in Korea. One day in Seoul a lady, her two little daughters and I were enjoying a walk. The children (they were Canadians) had their dolls with them. As often before quite a crowd followed us, and at last some of the women, who had never before seen a doll, asked: "How old are the two babies?" and "My, how little they are!"—Correspondence Baltimore Sun.

### OFFICER GRAY WITHDRAWS.

Officer J. R. Gray has withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for city marshal, leaving the contest between Officers Harlan and Crow and Messrs. Gus G. Singleton, Geo. F. Jones, and O. P. Lawhead.

### CANDIDATE ENDORSED.

THE WORKINGMAN'S LEAGUE  
DECLARIES FOR DAVIS.

The Workingman's Political League, which claims to be non-partisan, met yesterday and endorsed Councilman G. R. Davis for the Democratic nomination for mayor. Some of the Yeiser men are not very well pleased at the league's action, and politics in Democratic circles is getting quite warm.

### Lydite Is Deficient.

The high explosive lydite, which was used extensively by the British in the South African war, is now said to have been deficient in several important respects, and it is said that few of the shells fired from the field pieces exploded satisfactorily.

The SUN has no superior any way.

### BRIDE ABANDONED.

DALTON SALVERS REPORTED  
TO HAVE LEFT HIS WIFE  
AND HOME.

The report comes from Marshall county that Dalton Salvers, who married a Miss Johnson about ten days ago, has abandoned her and gone to parts unknown. The marriage was the culmination of a seduction case that Miss Johnson had instituted, and which had attracted considerable attention in the Marshall circuit court. It was tried once and resulted in a hung jury. After the marriage the cases were dismissed. Having been extricated from his difficulties Salvers, according to reliable reports, has left the country.

### Vast Sugar Plantation.

A sugar plantation in Cuba, near the town of Fergus, is 13,000 acres in extent. It employs 1,500 persons, and on it there are two forts, thirty miles of railroad belonging to the place, three steam railroad locomotives, many homes for the white people and the natives, a big sugar factory and a river, which floats lighters loaded with sugar from the plantation docks to the ships on the coast.

### JUSTICE BRYAN'S COURT.

County Attorney Graves went to Lamont this afternoon to try a case against Levy Wren, for alleged cruelty to animals. He is alleged to have cruelly beaten a neighbor's hog, and broken its nose.

### Y. M. C. A. WORK.

GOOD MEETINGS YESTERDAY—  
SECRETARY ESCOTT GOES TO  
PRINCETON.

Secretary Escott left today at noon for Princeton to arrange for a "Men's Sunday." This feature was suggested and first put into operation by Secretary A. Knox, formerly of this city, but now of Frankfort, Ky. Speakers, working in the interest of Y. M. C. A. work are sent from city to city delivering lectures on Sundays and in this way interest in the work will be created and Young Men's Christian Associations established in cities where there are none.

### A Musical Nobleman.

The grand duke of Hesse is one of the few truly musical persons of the European nobility. He is a good pianist and it is said his compositions have considerable merit.

### ODD FELLOWS.

MANGUM LODGE WILL GO DOWN  
IN DUSTERS.

Preparations continue for the interstate meeting at Mound City, on the 26th.

Mangum lodge, of the city, will go down in dusters, caps, with white umbrellas with the name of their lodge painted on them.

The Paducah crowd, which had chartered the Dick Fowler, will go down on the Joe Fowler instead, owing to the accident to the Dick.

A telephone message from Mayfield today said that a crowd of 40 or 50 from that place will come up on the 7:45 o'clock train on the 26th and go with the Paducah crowd.

### May Employ Extra Counsel.

The district court at Pawnee, Ok., has decided that county commissioners have a right to employ extra legal counsel, even when there is a county attorney in office and qualified to act. The county had sued cattlemen for taxes which the latter declared were illegal. Extra counsel was engaged and a verdict for \$50,000 taxes was obtained. The counsel was to have 20 per cent, and an effort was made to prevent payment.

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**THE RIPLEY VERDICT.**

The acquittal of Captain Garnett Ripley at Frankfort may have been a sore disappointment to a few, but it was not a surprise to many. The commonwealth failed to make out a case, and there was not sufficient evidence even to warrant an indictment, and doubtless would never have been one but for the political complexion of the grand jury that found it. The commonwealth failed to show that the accused even knew previous to the murder, any of the alleged conspirators except Gov. Taylor, and had but two conversations with him and those were about organizing a military company.

No apology can be made for Captain Ripley's reprehensible conduct in quoting words alleged to have come from Gov. Taylor and that Governor Taylor was innocent of using. Ripley himself admitted that he heard no such statements from Gov. Taylor, which means that when he made the declarations testified to by ex-Gov. Bradley and Judge Yost, he was either actuated by some inferior motive and lied outright, or else from some cause was not responsible for what he said, and did not realize the gravity of the imputation he cast on Gov. Taylor and the danger to which he subjected himself. He has been taught a valuable lesson in the worth of silence by the manner in which his idle words were seized upon by the unscrupulous Democratic vampires at Frankfort and perverted to the furtherance of their evil designs.

However, the outcome in the Ripley trial marks another failure in the evident and paramount determination of the Democratic gang at Frankfort to "damn the Republican party in Kentucky and hang Taylor." The trial of Ripley was only part of a plan to arouse a sentiment against Gov. Taylor with a hope of securing his return to Kentucky. If Captain Ripley had been convicted the Democratic gang would have regarded it as only another Republican put out of the way, at least until the case had gone the rounds of all the courts, but as he was acquitted, the Democrats can now assume an air of sublime sanctimony, and benevolently ask, "Who said we Democrats of Kentucky wouldn't give a Republican a fair trial?"

Here is a fair sample of the manner in which the Democratic organs have garbled the evidence in the Ripley case. It is from the Washington Mirror, a paper that with poor effect tries to ape Town Topics, the New York society journal. It says: "If any additional evidence was wanting to establish the fact, in the minds of the people at least, that W. S. Taylor, the fugitive from justice, was one of the chief conspirators in the assassination of Governor Goebel, of Kentucky, it has at last been furnished by former Governor William O. Bradley, who, on Wednesday last, testified that he had been told by a reputable man that Taylor and others proposed assassinating governor Goebel, and that he, Bradley, sent for Taylor and others, telling them that such an outrage must not be permitted." Everyone, even those who read the "doctored" accounts of the trial in the Goebel organs, knows that Gov. Bradley never testified to any such stuff as the above, and that the only thing he ever heard Capt. Ripley say was after the murder of Goebel.

Louisville has settled the servant girl question. A company has been incorporated the object of which is "to furnish to housekeepers of Kentucky trained, honest and reliable domestic servants." Now that the

problem of getting cooks is solved it's up to somebody to devise a plan for keeping them.

Kentucky is to have no exhibit at the Pan-American exposition because the last legislature, in considering a more important matter—namely, the best way to steal a governorship—neglected to make an appropriation. If it were only possible to exhibit the legislature!

**GERRYMANDERING****IN KENTUCKY.**

In November there is to be elected a new legislature, and upon that legislature will fall the duty of reapportioning the state into congressional districts to conform to the recent census. If the Republicans get a majority in the next legislature, they may get a fair arrangement of the districts, but if the Democrats get a majority they will doubtless gerrymander the state worse than it now is, if such at thing be possible. The Democrats pretend that they are paragons of justice, fairness and virtue despite their Goebel bills and gubernatorial thefts, but the contrary seems more likely, when it is seen how they have succeeded in banching up the Republican counties into a district or two, and have kept the others for themselves. Democratic methods have deprived the Republicans of five of the eleven districts, if not more. The last census gives Kentucky a population of 2,187,174 making a congressional ratio of 195,197, according to the Louisville Commercial.

The Eleventh district, Republican, is made up of nineteen counties, all Republican, with a total population of 268,417, about 73,000 in excess of the ratio.

The Tenth is next in size, with sixteen mountain counties. The Second, Sixth and Seventh districts each have eight counties; the First, Fourth and Ninth, each have thirteen counties, and the Eighth and Third each have ten.

Jefferson county is the smallest district, territorially, with a population of 322,519. The district having the smallest population is the Eighth, with 143,189 people, or about 52,000 less than the proper ratio. Next comes the Seventh with a population of 151,453, or about 44,000 under the ratio. The First, with 187,883 people; the Second, with 203,316, and the Ninth, with 207,332, and the Tenth, with 189,081, come nearest to the ratio. The Third, with 179,518, and the Sixth with 179,430, come very close together in numbers. After the Eleventh district, the one having the largest population is the Fourth, with 210,340.

The Eleventh was made large in order to take in all the Republican counties that could be bunched together, and the Eighth was made small to keep it Democratic. The Eleventh was too large and the Eighth, too small, but they were apportioned that way to maintain a Democratic majority.

The legislative gerrymander is equally as bad, if such a thing is possible. The senatorial ratio is 56,504 under the new census. A few of the unjust apportionments may be cited in the Seventeenth senatorial district, composed of seven large counties, and with an area quite as large as that of the Sixth or Seventh congressional districts, with a population of 129,960, or something more than twice the number entitled to have a senator. The Thirty-third senatorial district, consisting of nine mountain counties, with a population of 103,465, lacking only about 10,000 of being double the ratio, and more than three times the population of the Twenty-third district, composed of Gallatin, Boone and Owen. The Seventeenth senatorial district with a larger population than the aggregate population of the Tenth, Twenty-first and Thirtieth districts. Those three districts, with an aggregate population of 115,466, have three senators, while the 129,950 in the Seventeenth district only have one senator.

There are five senatorial districts with less than 40,000 population—but they are all Democratic districts.

In the house legislative apportionment the injustice is equally as palpable. The ratio for representation is to furnish to housekeepers of Kentucky trained, honest and reliable domestic servants." Now that the

of 29,970, and Daviess, with a population of 38,667, are each allowed two representatives, but Christian, with 37,962 people, is only allowed one. Bell, Harlan, Leslie and Perry are thrown into one district, and have only one representative, though their aggregate population is 40,108, or four times the population of Anderson, which is allowed one representative. The counties of Breathitt, Lee and Magoffin compose one district, and have only one representative, although their aggregate population is 34,316, or more than the aggregate population of Larue, Meade and Jessamine, each of which has a representative.

The new statute passed by congress regulating the apportionment requires districts to be made up of contiguous territory, and is intended to make gerrymandering more difficult.

All the instances cited above serve to show the injustice and imposition that have been heaped upon the Republicans of Kentucky from time immemorial, and the only hope of the Republicans is to get a majority in the next legislature. The best men must be put out for the various places, and the party must work with unremitting zeal if it expects to head off such highway robbery. It must begin now and keep it up until election.

Minister Wu Ting Fang is preparing a memorial to his government recommending for earnest considerations, the adoption of western methods in China as a relief from present perplexities, and the advancement of his country to a place among the progressive nations of the earth. Wu Ting has had a better opportunity than most of his countrymen to witness the workings of modern methods of finance and economy, but whether or not his unusual procedure will have any effect is extremely doubtful. It looks as though it will require something more drastic than mere memorials and recommendation to convert the Chinese condition of modern civilization. Here's hoping, however, that Wu Ting will not lose his head for his audacity.

In the case of Aguinaldo, as in many other cases, distance appears to have lent enchantment. Instead of being the refined, intelligent patriot he was said to be he proves upon closer inspection to be practically uneducated, signs his name "X, his mark," and is now studying the English language. He is said to be crafty and unreliable as well, and has a rather sinister cast of countenance. The iconoclast usually gets in his work sooner or later and Aguinaldo is the latest victim.

A New York priest offered a reward of \$10,000 for the return to his parents of a kidnapped boy. The youngster was "discovered" all over the country within four days, and if all the stray boys had been delivered to him, no orphan asylum in the country would have been big enough to hold them. The clairvoyants, mountebanks and fakirs finally became so annoying the priest was finally compelled to withdraw the offer in order to have time for the performance of his sacred duties.

A number of intellectual cranks and anti-expansion newspapers are engaged in an amusing controversy over the ethical phases of Aguinaldo's capture. Some contend that a gentleman and a soldier wouldn't have dared, and others declare that he would have dared. But just the same Aguinaldo is in a cage and Gen. Funston has had no cause to regret the part he played in the little affair.

One of the Blue Grass papers remarks: Ollie James, the roaring and mighty atmospheric phenomenon of Crittenden county, has announced his candidacy for congress from the First district, and has also shed an hallucination or two to the effect that he is "confident of winning."

Despite the interviews, and "reliable reports," pro and con, Gov. Durbin, of Indiana, states that until requisition papers for Gov. W. S. Taylor are laid on his desk he will not decide what to do.

It is reported that Former Governor W. O. Bradley will be a candidate for United States senator.

Prof. Bayle, the "it," who defied the Republicans and made a disgusting equine extremity of himself down in Ballard county, was defeated for county school superintendent, by a woman. The general public will give the fair winner all the credit that is due her, and warmly congratulate her over her victory, but it must be observed that any one who couldn't beat such a blabbering idiot as "professor" ought to stop running. He runs for office like he writes English. He ought to go to school awhile before he becomes competent to teach a country school he ought to stick to it, for he can never make a success running for office. If his brains were petrified they wouldn't rattle in a sardine box.

If Aguinaldo knew all the mean things that have been said and written about him he probably would have no dread of being "misrepresented." In truth, misrepresentation might help his reputation.

An ex-preacher of Washington, Ind., has sued a saloon keeper for \$5,000 for selling him whiskey. It must have been a pretty bad brand.

If bank officials were only thoughtful enough to commit suicide beforehand, many reputations and considerable cash would be saved.

**INSURGENT SPIRIT SMASHED.**  
Washington, April 23.—In the opinion of officers on duty in the Philippines, Gen. MacArthur's actions in deporting insurgent leaders to Guam had the effect of greatly discouraging their followers and has done even more toward breaking up the insurrection than the vigorous military operations which have been carried on since the beginning of the dry season. In a letter received here today the commander of one of the naval vessels in the Philippine waters says:

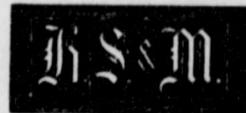
"Great numbers are coming in and taking the oath. It really looks as though the transporting of the head devils to Guam has nearly smashed the insurgent spirit. That move, I don't know who thought of it, has done more to stop hostilities than all the killing since the war started. The people dearly love their homes and while they don't mind captivity near home and do not fear death especially, death in exile works wonders as a spirit breaker. Following that order about 50,000 in one island came in and took the oath."

Right Rev. William Stubbs, Bishop of Oxford, died in England.

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# JUSTICE LITTLE

The Popular Magistrate Dies From An Overdose of Morphine.

## TOOK ABOUT EIGHT GRAINS

He Was Found Unconscious Last Night About 8 O'clock at Home.

### LOOKS LIKE IT WAS A CASE OF SUICIDE

From Tuesday's Daily.

Justice J. H. Little, the well known magistrate of the Second district, died at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon from an overdose of morphine, at his home 903 Clark street.

He was thought to be better this morning, but soon began growing gradually worse and died without having regained consciousness.

Justice Little's actions yesterday and for several days previous indicate suicide. Yesterday about 5 p. m. he went to a down town drug store, where he had been buying morphine to alleviate his sufferings from neuralgia, and bought ten cents worth of the drug or eight grains.

He must have taken the whole quantity at his office at Fourth and Court streets, as no trace of any remnants have been found.

Boarding a car he went home, laid down and fell asleep. As it was his custom to often come home and sleep this way, no effort was made to rouse him until about 8 o'clock, when he was found to be unconscious.

Drs. Reddick, Rivers and Griffith were summoned, and saw at once that the patient was suffering from morphine poisoning. A hypodermic injection was given, it being too late for the stomach pump, but the patient's condition was very precarious, and it was not believed he could last through the night. This morning, however, he was better.

No note or anything of the kind could be found confirming the suspicion that the poison was taken intentionally, although his office was searched and his pockets contained nothing.

He had to several friends for four or five days, however, seemed despondent, and talked of suicide, but did not intimate that he contemplated it.

He had been taking morphine for about eight months for neuralgia from which he frequently suffered.

Yesterday at dinner he was in so much pain he could eat very little. He remarked that his children were all married but one, and that he considered his life a success.

It was also learned that he had paid house rent and other bills, and had his affairs in good shape.

Justice Little's family, however, do not believe that he sought self-destruction, but think rather that he was the victim of a mistake, and took too much of the poison unintentionally.

The deceased was 66 years old the 19th of last March and leaves besides a wife the following children all married, excepting one: Mrs. Guy Nance, Mrs. Wm. Lockwood, Mrs. Cad Neil, of Mountrec, Kansas, Mrs. Fanine Taylor, of Mound City, Ill., Mrs. Clarence Hamilton, Miss Maggie Little and Mr. Willie Little. He was born in Henry county, Tennessee, in 1836, moving to Paducah in 1851, the same year he was married. Since a resident of this city he had been in the hardware and saddlery business and was once a councilman. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Graston, of Cadiz, and a brother, Mr. Marion Little, of Bremburg, Ky.

DELEGATES FROM HERE  
One of the most important events in the annals of the M. E. Church

South will be the General Missionary Conference to be held at New Orleans this week, beginning the 24th and lasting through the month. It is the outcome of the great Ecumenical Missionary Conference that was held in New York last May, and which was such an occasion of interest. A fine program has been prepared containing speakers of note, bishops, clergy and laymen. There will be delegates from every church in the convention. Among those who will go from Paducah tomorrow are Rev. H. B. Johnstod, presiding elder of the Paducah circuit and chairman of the board of missions of the Memphis conference; Rev. J. W. Irwin, pastor of the Trimble street Methodist church; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Scott and Mr. Chas. Q. C. Leigh, of Broadway Methodist church.

## A DOG FIGHT.

### OVER THIS FRANK LUTZ, OF PADUCAH, WAS KILLED.

Particulars of the Awful Tragedy Near Newbern, Tenn., Last Saturday.

The tragedy resulting in Frank Lutz's death on the Stull farm near Newbern, Tenn., occurred over a dog fight at a log rolling. The men had rolled logs all day, and toward sun-down some one organized a dog fight between a dog belonging to Lutz and one belonging to Childress. The log rollers gathered around the dogs and the fight was put on. It was a fierce combat. The canines bit and clawed and chewed each other in a ferocious manner. Lutz' dog was getting the worst of it. It looked as if Childress' dog would kill him. Lutz could not stand to see his dog eaten alive and he took a hand in the dog fight. He had a hand stick and with this he tried to terminate the fight. Childress objected to this interference and a quarrel between the men arose at once.

Childress held a handstick in his hand and Lutz was likewise armed. While the dogs were fighting the men were carrying on a war of words, which finally reached the stage of actual hostilities. The result was that Childress delivered a blow on the back of Lutz' head with his handstick which brained him. The log rolling was abruptly ended.

Childress left at once and the officers could not find him when they went in quest of him. The dogs, bleeding and gnawed, left the scene of the fight and the tragedy. Childress' dog following the master who had shed the blood of his fellow man in defense of the canine's rights. A hand-stick is a large pole that will not break under anything but extraordinary weight. With a hand-stick the men, by prying, roll the logs.

## THE CROPS.

### OPINIONS SEEM TO DIFFER AS TO THE EFFECT OF THE COLD.

The effect in this section of the cold on fruit and crops seems to be in doubt. Some of the farmers and gardeners claim that the damage will cut everything down to about half, while others say no harm will result.

"The cold wind was about as bad as a frost would have been," declared one. "We can't tell just now, for some time fruit becomes about half grown and then falls off the trees."

### IS OUT FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

Mr. Harry Smith, formerly of Mayfield, and a son of Ex-Dist. Attorney W. M. Smith, is a full fledged Republican candidate for the legislature in the 47th district, Louisville. It is said he will make a strong race.

The SUN has no superior any way.

**FISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION**

# PADUCAH: Concerning News of a Local Nature for Past Week.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Deputy Sheriff Utterback leaves in the morning for the Eddyville penitentiary with the prisoners convicted at the last term of court.

Deputy Sheriff Gus Rogers leaves Wednesday for Lexington and Frankfort with Alice Williams and the two small colored boys sent to the reform school.

Custodian F. M. Fisher has received notice from the treasury department of the awarding of various contracts for supplies for the year.

The water company, of course, gets the contract for furnishing the water and the street car company for the lights. J. T. Donovan gets the street sprinkling contract, Hank Bros. & Jones the contract for furnishing stores. Jas. Marable, for hauling, and Miss Trezvant the laundry work for towels, etc.

The coal bids, amounting to nearly \$1,000, were rejected, and it may be that the department will decide on the use of soft coal instead of hard coal for the building.

"The Voice of Labor," a journal to be published by the local labor unions, will make its first appearance this week. Mr. Edward B. Clark, a well known Chicago newspaper man, will manage the paper.

The Elks executive committee today decided on one of the most attractive features of its carnival.

This will be a queen, who is to appear on the Elks magnificent float in the flower parade. The identity of the queen will remain a secret. She will have six maids of honor from respectively Cairo, Metropolis, Murray, Princeton, Mayfield and Fulton.

The selection of these maids of honor will be left to the Elks in those cities that have members of the order, and the others by the local committee.

The Elks float will be the most gorgeous thing of its kind ever seen here, but it will not be in competition for the prizes.

The flower parade will be repeated on the day following its inaugural appearance, and the prize winners will not be announced until the second day.

This parade will eclipse anything ever seen here and nothing will be spared to make it one of the best features of the carnival.

Mr. C. C. McCarty, passenger agent for the Illinois Central at St. Louis, was here yesterday and announced arrangements for a big excursion from all points this side of Monday, Ill., for \$1.50 the round trip, and it is possible a special excursion rate of \$2 a round trip will be made for one day out of St. Louis.

The marriage of Miss Annie R. Connely, of Paducah, to Mr. Bert H. Brown, of St. Louis, took place at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Minnie Shutt, of 323 North Fifth street, Rev. W. H. Pinkerton officiating.

Quite a crowd of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, and the couple received many congratulations and other tokens of good wishes from their many acquaintances.

They left at noon for their future residence in St. Louis, and will be at home to friends there after May 1st. Mr. Brown is stenographer in a railroad office at St. Louis, and his bride was one of Paducah's most attractive young ladies.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mr. Wm. G. Kelley, who was appointed a cadet by Congressman Wheeler to succeed Cadet Quarles, of Paducah, who resigned, left Fulton, his home, last night, for the military institute. He will be put under the tutorage of Lieut. Braden at West Point, who will assist him to prepare for his examination on June 5. Mr. Kelley would have graduated with first honors from Carr Institute this year. He is a most promising young

man and his success is predicted by his friends.

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The first shovel of sod for the new railroad from Cadiz to Gracey was turned yesterday by Mrs. Nancy Welford, the oldest white citizen of the town. The breaking of dirt for the road was the occasion of a general jollification among the citizens, but the set programme was not fully carried out because of the inclement weather.

The next mayor of Paducah, should he happen to be opposed to Paducah's going into the second class, will find himself handicapped in any effort he might desire to make, to prevent it, by an ordinance compelling him to have presented to the next legislature a bill providing for the transfer.

"I shall at once recommend to the council," said Mayor Lang this morning, "the formal adoption of the recent census, and the passage of an ordinance accepting it, included in which will be a clause compelling the next Mayor of Paducah to present a bill which the city attorney will draft, and which will be included in the ordinance, to the next legislature for the transfer of Paducah to the second class.

"This will make it incumbent on the next mayor to present the bill to the next legislature, unless the new council repeals the ordinance, which would necessarily place it on record as opposed to Paducah's becoming a second class city."

"Of course this may be unnecessary, but it will be only to insure our being on the safe side."

Mayor Lang said today that he may not call a meeting of the council this week, but will wait for the regular meeting next Monday for the transaction of necessary business. The city supervisors may finish today, or may not get through until tomorrow.

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**MR. F. E. LACK**

POPULAR PADUCAH DRUMMER  
ELECTED PRESIDENT

of the T. P. A.—Other Paducahans  
Who Captured State Offices at  
Louisville Yesterday.

Louisville, April 20.—A large crowd attended the state convention of the Travelers' Protective Association here today and the banquet tonight. At the afternoon session the election of officers took place. Mr. Finis E. Lack, of Paducah, for several years secretary, was elected president.

Mr. Louis F. Kolb, of Paducah, was elected secretary and treasurer.

Dr. J. R. Coleman, of Paducah, state surgeon.

Rev. J. C. Reid, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, Paducah, was elected chaplain.

**RAILROAD RUMORS**

N. C. AND ST. L. ABOUT TO  
CLOSE A DEAL FOR ROUND  
HOUSE SITE.

The N. C. and St. L. railroad will probably close the deal for the tract of ground near the Illinois Central depot Tuesday.

The N. C. and St. L. railroad has been negotiating for this piece of ground for some time and if purchased will be used as a location for the round house and repair tracks of the company. The land is owned by a Cincinnati man whose agent here is Peter Heep, the night man in the Southern News stand of the Illinois Central depot. The N. C. and St. L. railroad have for some time been thinking of moving further out of the city, but could not, up to a few weeks ago, find a suitable location. It is rumored that if the new move is made the Illinois Central depot will be used of the N. C. and St. L. railroad as a passenger depot for their trade.

**CAREER ENDED**

A KENTUCKY GIRL ENDS HER  
LIFE IN A HOUSE OF ILL  
FAME.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 20.—Mamie Porter, daughter of Col. William Porter, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., committed suicide here today in a house of ill-fame. She was brought here by a young man, who, it is claimed, took her from her husband, Clarence Stanford, who has since secured a divorce. Her father was advised of her death and directed that her remains be buried here.

**REQUISITION REFUSED.**

Gov. McMillin has refused to honor a requisition from Gov. Sayers, of Texas, for Tom C. Irvin, arrested at Dresden, Tenn., on the charge of murdering Capt. Curry at Bowie, Tex., twenty years ago. Great pressure was brought to bear on Gov. McMillin by friends of Irvin, who has been an exemplary citizen of Dresden for 12 years or more. Sheriff Rains, of Bowie, has returned home and will endeavor to secure additional instructions from Gov. Sayers.

**ADJUDGED A LUNATIC.**

Jo M. Sanders, residing north of Swan, Graves county, the son of Bennett Sanders, was adjudged a lunatic at Mayfield. The cause was excitement over religious and political matters. He was 26 years old and until about two years ago, was a bright young man. D. F. Andrews and A. J. Sanders took him to Hopkinsville.

**The London of the Romans.**

The London of the Romans lies buried about eighteen feet below the level of Cheapside, and still deeper than that is buried the earlier London of the Britons. In nearly all parts of the city there have been discovered tessellated pavements, Roman baths, tombs, lamps, vases, sandals, keys, ornaments, weapons, coins, and statues of the ancient Roman gods.

**GOT A DIVVY**

SENSATION SPRUNG AT OWENS-  
BORO YESTERDAY

By an Indictment—Prosecuting Attorney  
Rowe Alleged to Have Accepted  
Money From Gamblers.

Owensboro, Ky., April 20.—A big sensation as sprung here today by the grand jury.

An indictment was returned against Commonwealth's Attorney J. Edwin Rowe, charging him with having compromised with gamblers without the court's knowledge.

It is alleged he has accepted money from gamblers.

The indictment created considerable surprise, and is the talk of the town.

**FINE HORSES.**

MAYOR LANG AND LOCKUP  
KEEPER MENIFEE PUR-  
CHASE A SPAN.

Mayor Lang has purchased a fine span of black horses, one for himself and one for Lockup Keeper Robert Menifee. The animals were bought at Owensboro through Mr. A. J. Hill, a particular friend of the mayor's, who sends word that they can not be beat by any other span of horses in this end of the state. It was told as a joke that the animals would be used to haul the patrol wagon but the horses were bought for saddle purposes only. The price paid was \$125 each and they will be shipped to this city on the first through boat.

**SCHOOL CENSUS**

NOTHING AT PRESENT CAN BE  
TOLD OF THE RESULT.

Mr. J. M. Hart, the school census enumerator for the Fifth and Sixth wards, has finished his ward and turned the book over to Sec. Rose. This is the only ward that has been completely worked so far, but the results will probably be known inside of a week.

**FATAL QUARREL**

WIFE AND HUSBAND AT JACK-  
SON QUARREL AND SHE  
TAKES POISON.

Jackson, Ky., April 20.—Mrs. Minnie Spears and her husband quarreled today. In a fit of pique, the woman took morphine and when discovered was past medical aid, and died shortly afterwards.

**LOSES TWO FINGERS.**

Dink Meadows, an employee of the Paducah Furniture Manufacturing company, got his right hand caught in one of the machines yesterday afternoon and the first two fingers cut off.

**CALLED TO MISSOURI.**

Rev. W. M. Rudolph, of Wingo, Ky., pastor of the Baptist church, has accepted a call to Oran and Bloomfield, Mo., and leaves Kentucky May 1.

**ESTATES ARE WHITE ELEPHANTS.**

The Due d'Orleans wants to sell the Sicilian estates left him by the Due d'Aumale. They comprise the Palais d'Orleans, near Palermo; the wine chateau of Palermo and Zucco, not far from that city. The Due d'Aumale spent much money on agricultural improvements at Zucco, but as he was an excellent man of business they were remunerative. His nephew finds the place a white elephant.

**MILITARY WOMEN OF ADRIAN.**

Twenty-four leading women of Adrian, Mich., have formed themselves into a military company and will receive weekly instruction in drill from a veteran soldier. Mrs. John Gogahan, wife of the county clerk, has been elected captain.

**VALUE OF HORSES IN ENGLAND.**

The average price of a good railway dray horse in England is about \$300 and each animal costs about \$2.25 per week for fodder alone. Under fair conditions railway companies work their horses about ten hours a day.

**FARMER HURT.**

MR. JAS. JONES, OF FLORENCE  
STA., CRUSHED BY AN  
Unruly Horse This Morning—Son of Mr.  
J. D. Potter Burned By Ignited Powder  
on South Third Street.

From Saturday's Daily.

Mr. James Jones, a farmer living at Florence Station, was badly injured early this morning at the Iseman wagon yards, on Third and Washington streets. He was hitching his team when one of the horses began to kick and back. Mr. Jones was knocked against a wagon and the horse fell against him wedging him in and crushing his chest. A physician was summoned and found the injuries serious, but not necessarily fatal. Mr. Jones was taken to the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John Dunaway, on South Ninth street.

Irvin, the 10-year-old son of Mr. Joe D. Potter, of North Third street, was painfully burned about the face shortly after 8 o'clock this morning. Some gun powder he was playing with became accidentally ignited and his face was painfully burned as result of the affair. A physician was called and found the injuries not of a serious nature.

**WELL KNOWN WOMAN**

DEATH YESTERDAY OF MRS. T.  
J. COUNCIL FROM GEN-  
ERAL DEBILITY.

From Saturday's Daily.

Mrs. T. J. Council, aged 71, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her son, Mr. E. M. Council, on Clay street, from general debility.

She was born in Mississippi, and leaves the following children: Messrs. H. E. Council, California; J. K. Council, Graves county, W. S. and E. M. Council, Paducah, W. T. Council, Mayfield, and J. H. Council, county; Madames G. E. Rouse, Paducah; T. B. Rouse, county, and Mrs. Chas. Whittemore, Graves county.

The funeral will take place at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from Friendship church. Burial at the Moore graveyard at Colliersville.

**NEVER TOUCHED HIM**

RUBE QUINN TAKES HIS SENT-  
ENCE WITH THE UTMOST IN-  
DIFFERENCE.

Danville, April 20.—Rube Quinn, the negro who was today sentenced to hang for the murder of Officer John Crum, received the verdict with the utmost indifference. He heard the words sealing his doom with dogged composure and went back to jail as if nothing had happened.

**WHAT IS NAME?**

J. Frank Gilder is the elder brother of Richard Watson Gilder and is a pianist and musical enthusiast. He was once traveling with a concert company in Canada, when he was asked if he was any relation to Richard Watson Gilder. "Oh, yes, he's a younger brother of mine," he replied, wistfully, to the curious person. "But he knows absolutely nothing about music, absolutely nothing."

**PIN MONEY.**

When pins were first invented in the fourteenth century the maker was allowed to sell them on the 1st and 2d of January only and upon those days the ladies flocked to buy them. They were so expensive that it was customary to give as a wedding present a certain sum of money to be used as "pin money," hence the term.

**COMPLIMENTS AN AMERICAN SCOUT.**

Mr. Burnham, the American scout, who was on the staff of Lord Roberts, recently received a letter from the British commander testifying that, in his opinion, no other man could have performed the services rendered by Mr. Burnham, "services requiring such peculiar training, skill, courage and endurance."

**RED FRANKFURTER SAUSAGES.**

Three Baltimore meat dealers were fined for selling red frankfurter sausages, colored by means of an aniline dye, although an expert testified that the dye was a coal tar preparation containing no arsenic and was a perfectly healthy article of food.

**ITCHING LIMBS**

And All Forms of Itching, Scaly Humors Are  
Instantly Relieved and Speedily  
Cured by CUTICURA.

**Speedy Cure Treatment \$1.25**

Bathe the affected parts with hot water and CUTICURA SOAP, to cleanse the skin and scalp of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle. Dry, without hard rubbing, and apply CUTICURA OINTMENT freely, to allay itching, irritation and inflammation and soothe and heal, and lastly take CUTICURA RESOLVENT, to cool and cleanse the blood and expel humor germs. This sweet and wholesome treatment affords instant relief, permits rest and sleep in the severest forms of eczema and other itching, burning and scaly humors of the skin, scalp and blood, and points to a speedy, permanent and economical cure when all else fails. Price, THE SET, \$1.25; or, Soap, 25c; Ointment, 50c, and Resolvent, 50c. Sold throughout the world.

**Millions of Women Use Cuticura Soap**

assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crust, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening and soothing red, rough and sore hands, for body rashes, tickings and irritations in the skin of bath for annoying irritation, inflammations and excoriations, or free or offensive perspiration, in the form of washes for nutritive emollients, and for many sanative antiseptic purifiers which readily support themselves to women, and especially mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. No amount of persuasion was needed those who have once used it to use any other, especially for preserving and purifying the skin, soap and hair of infants and children. CUTICURA SOAP combines delicate medicinal properties derived from CUTICURA, the great skin care, with the power of cleansing ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated soap corresponds to it in comparison with it for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair and hands. No other foreign or domestic soaps, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. Thus it compares in OSMOSIS with ONE PRIZE, viz. TWENTY-FIVE CENTES, the BEST skin and complexion soap and the BEST toilet and BEST baby soap in the world.

**Harbour's**  
112 North Third Street.

**Millinery, Dress Trimmings, Dress  
Goods, Boys' Clothing, Shoes,  
Mattings, Lace Curtains and Poles.**

**A Great Purchase and Sale of Spring's New-  
est Creations in Millinery.**

If you'd like a hit of individual beauty and distinctive character, elegant and charming, just the richest and most exquisite in Paducah at truly pleasing prices, visit our Millinery section this week. Much that is new will reach us for this week's selling.

**Dress Trimmings  
and Dress Goods.**

These are special features for this week's selling and we'll endeavor to both please you and save you money.

**Boys' Clothing.**

A Great Sale of Boys' Clothing—The fact we wish to impress upon your mind is that this is the place to buy Boys' Clothing. We will make correct and attractive styles in boys' clothing at a decided saving to you through our low prices. A Bow and Arrow free with each suit from \$1.50 to \$2.50 to please the boys, and a Ball and Bat with each suit from \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Boys School Knee Pants at 25c, 35c and 50c a pair.

**A Matting Sale**

That brings you new Chinas and Japanese Mattings.

The regular 35c and 40c kinds at 25c and 30c a yard.

Some fair bargains in Mattings at 10c, 15c and 18c a yard.

**Lace Curtains and  
Poles and Fixtures.**

All specially priced. A big stock of Lace Curtains worth seeing. The assortment is best decided by the range of prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 3.50 a pair.

Lace Curtain Poles with fixtures complete at 10c, 15c and 18c.

**Bring Your Feet****Here For Shoes.**

Not only good styles and low prices but almost every pair of shoes carries our guarantee. This guarantee means much to you if you'll use it as we direct. We have Women's Shoes solid as a die for 95c and \$1.25 a pair. But we do our guaranteeing on our lines at \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 a pair and recommend them to be the best in the city at these prices.

We have Men's Shoes at 75c, \$1.00 and 1.25 a pair, but in Men's Shoes do our chief guaranteeing at \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50 a pair.

We have many genuine Shoe bargains that we shall be pleased to show you.

**Harbour's 112 North Third Street.**

Frankfort, April 20.—Only two ballots were taken in the Garnet Ripley case. The first stood ten to acquit and two to convict.

**HANDSOME MEMORIAL CARDS.**

Handsome memorial cards have just been issued by Division No. 225, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engi-

neers, in memory of the late Engineer F. Joe Dickey, who was killed in the wreck at Clay Switch on March 15. The committee that framed the resolutions was composed of Messrs. L. Grimes, Jas. Mulvain and S. Gill. The division's charter is ordered draped for thirty days.

# GOLD DUST

THE BEST  
Washing Powder

IS NOT  
GUILTY IT FALLS  
THROUGH

The Jury Brought In a Verdict at 11:30 O'clock This Morning.

Paducah Cannot Get Into the Second Class Until Next January.

**PRISONER IS VERY HAPPY THE CENSUS IS ALL RIGHT**

Ripley Thanked the Jury—There was a Small Crowd and Very Little Excitement

But Mayor Lang Has Assurance That the Circuit Judge Would Not Make the Transfer.

RUBEEN QUINN WILL BE HUNG.

IT IS A GREAT DISAPPOINTMENT

Frankfort, Ky., April 20.—The jury in the case against Captain Garritt Ripley, charged with conspiring to kill Senator Wm. Goebel, returned a verdict of "not guilty" at 11:30 this morning, having had the case since 9:40.

The verdict was received without much demonstration.

There was only a small crowd in the court room, and there was no excitement of any kind.

When the jury filed in amid impressive stillness, there was scarcely a move or tremor noticed among the spectators. The prisoner bore himself well.

When the verdict was handed the clerk, and he read, "We, the jury, find the defendant not guilty," Ripley said "Thank you, gentlemen."

He was too happy to say much or to discuss future plans. He was warmly congratulated by his friends.

The verdict did not seem to create any surprise. Few people really believed Ripley had any connection with a conspiracy.

Prosecutor Franklin declines to say whether he will get another requisition for Governor Taylor or not.

Indianapolis, April 20.—Ex-Gov. W. S. Taylor says he is not surprised at the Ripley verdict. That it is a part of the plan of Kentucky Democrats to fool the public into believing a fair trial could be given alleged conspirators.

**HERE'S A CHANCE.**

PADUCAH BOWLERS MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE LOUISVILLE TOURNAMENT.

A state bowling tournament is to be held at Louisville June 20 to 30th, and bowlers from all over the state are invited to compete. The intention is to make it the greatest event of its kind ever held south of the Ohio river.

Members of the American Bowling Congress will attend, and handsome prizes for individual team and club championship will be offered.

Paducah is now becoming greatly interested in the sport, and will doubtless soon have a club. It may be that the Pride of the Purchase will be represented in the Louisville tournament, although no steps have yet been taken to this end.

**Elevators Called "Flying Chairs."**  
When the elevator was first invented at Schoenbrunn, in 1760, and placed in the summer residence of the Austrian emperor it was called the "flying chair."

From Saturday's Daily.

The movement to have Paducah made a city of the second class, although the census shows 21,357 people, has fallen through temporarily.

It will remain in stat quo until January, when the legislature meets. When the council passed the resolution a few weeks ago authorizing the taking of a new census, it thought there was a possibility of getting into the second class by having the circuit judge make the transfer under a state law, the counterpart of which had once by the court of appeals been decided unconstitutional, but the law itself never passed on.

While a law similar to the one governing transfers of cities of the third class into the second had been declared unconstitutional, the law itself has never been, and the council thought that as judges sometimes differ in their construction of the law, the transfer might be made and the fall election held under the second class city charter. They learned afterwards, however, that Judge Husband would not make the transfer.

Mayor Lang stated this morning that Paducah would not go into the second class until next January, after the legislature meets and places it there.

"Do you know that the circuit judge would refuse to make the transfer?" he was asked.

"Yes sir, he would refuse," answered the mayor.

He declined to be more explicit.

This means that so far as elective offices are concerned, Paducah is now practically barred from the advantages of cities of the second class for nearly three years.

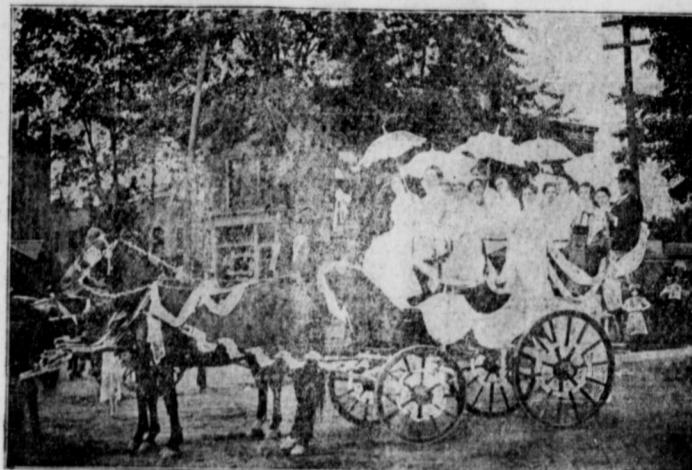
This fall a mayor, marshal, council and other city officers are to be elected under the present charter, and once in office they will hold until their term expires. The mayor and marshal go in for four years, the others two.

Under the second class charter there is no city marshal, but Paducah will have a marshal four years after she goes into the second class. The councilmen will hold office two years, and the election following the one this fall will be held under the second class charter.

This will be bad news for many citizens who had hoped to see Paducah and second class city before summer. Mayor Lang seems to regard it optimistically, however.

"If Paducah had gone into the second class," a councilman said this morning "it would not have affected

## Elks' Flower Parade.



The Flower parade of the Elks carnival promises to eclipse anything of its kind ever attempted in Paducah.

Chairman Jos. L. Friedman and his able associates, Dr. Harry Williamson and T. B. Laurie, of the flower parade committee, report daily of new applications from owners of vehicles wishing to enter this beautiful feature. Great interest is being taken in this event by the ladies of this city and a number of people from nearby cities have signified their intention of entering. The Elks lodge will have a beautiful float in the parade, but will not compete for the prize. The T. P. A.'s will probably be represented with an original float emblematic of their order. Several secret societies will also be represented.

In view of the costly prizes offered and the general desire to make the event as magnificent as possible, it is hoped that every person owning a trap or any suitable vehicle will not fail to enter them. But as it is, the flower parade will be something to wonder at.

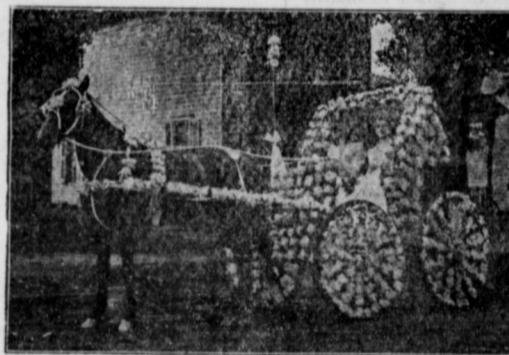
Capt. Wm. Kraus, grand marshal of

the parade and his aides, will have charge of the organization and management of this feature and certain plans have been arranged that will prevent any possibility of mistakes or confusion.

Three judges, two ladies and one gentleman, will act as judges and will be selected by five disinterested business men. The Elks desire to say that no partiality will be shown any

one, and that the vehicles that are entitled to the prizes will receive them.

Mr. Conley leaves for Birmingham today to put the finishing touches on the big Elks fair to be held there the first week in May, thence to Chattanooga, and will return to this city one week previous to opening of the fair and assist the local Elks in making the final preparations for the biggest thing that ever happened in Paducah.



### THE POPULATION.

THE CENSUS COMMITTEE CHECKED UP THE RETURNS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Yesterday afternoon the census committee of the council checked up the returns as showed by the books of the enumerators, showing the number of people in Paducah to be 21,357.

By wards the population is:

W. E. Baker, that portion of the First ward lying north of Trimble street and the Hinkleville gravel road, 2,860.

J. Henry Smith, balance of First ward, or all between Trimble street and Madison street, 2,437.

Wm. F. Lambdin, all of Second ward, 2,860.

John T. Hughes, Third ward, 2,273.

William Hills, Fourth ward, 1,985.

L. B. Whitehurst, Fifth ward, 3,436.

Robert Wilson, all of the Sixth ward lying beyond Island creek, 1,266.

W. D. Brown, all of the Sixth ward lying this side of the creek, 4,340.

There was an increase over the government census in every ward except the Fourth.

The council meeting to have been held last night was declared off late in the afternoon by Mayor Lang. The council will act on the census at an early date.

### Fortune in Five Years.

Francis Parkman, the historian, had a Mosaic idea of justice. A friend met him one day walking along the street, leading a street boy with either hand. "What in the world are you doing, Parkman?" asked his friend. "I found that Johnny here had eaten all of the apple, instead of dividing with his little brother. I am going to buy another for the younger boy, and make Johnny watch him while he eats it."

### Why They Are Called Hangers.

Wall paper does not hang, and yet the person whose business it is to paste it up is called a paper hanger. The reason is simple. Long before the introduction of wall papers Arras, a town in France, was famous for its tapestries, called "arras." These were used as wall coverings and the men who were employed to put them up were called hangers.

**Cheap Postage in Japan.**  
If Japan did an express and freight business through the mails as we do in this country it could not afford to carry a letter anywhere in the empire for a postage stamp worth one-seventeenth of a cent.—Kansas City Times.

### I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION.

A BIG TIME AT MOUND CITY ON THE 26 IS ANTICIPATED.

The local lodge of Odd Fellows are making great preparations for the grand inter-state I. O. O. F. celebrations April 26th at Mound City. Dean's band, of 20 pieces, has been engaged to furnish the music for the Paducah delegation. Prof. Dean, the leader, said that "never before has Paducah had as fine a band as at present and I intend to return from the contests with the prizes for the best band. All the members of my band are experienced musicians and know their business thoroughly, and I feel justified in saying that no other band is better."

Metropolis sent a representative to this city, several days ago, to arrange for the chartering of a steamboat to handle the Metropolis crowd, but it is not known if his trip was successful. The local lodge has also secured another attraction in the shape of a ball game between the Brookhill, local, and Mound City clubs.

"This celebration," remarked a well known lodgemem, "will be the biggest and most successful ever held, and Paducah will come in for her part of the honors."

The railroads and steamboats have all cut rates and the fare is so reasonable that no body can say that they can't afford to go.

**Mosquitoes Deadlier Than Snakes.**  
About 11,000,000 Italians are exposed to malarial fever. There are about 2,000,000 cases every year, with an average mortality of 15,000. This proves that mosquitoes are more deadly in Italy than snakes and tigers in India.

**Sugar-Beet Wagons Destroy Roads.**  
The stone road system of Bay county, Michigan, has been badly damaged by unusually heavy rains of late. This injury was aggravated by the immense traffic of sugar-beet wagons, and the roads have been so badly cut up as to be almost impassable.

# A FLOOD FEARED

All the Rivers on the Rampage,  
With More Water to  
Come.

## DAMAGE IN UPPER SECTION

Much Havoc Will Be Wrought to  
Crops in Bottom Lands  
Everywhere.

## ALL THE LATEST FLOOD REPORTS

**From Monday's Daily**  
The reports from everywhere indicate high water, if not a disastrous flood. The river stages today show rises everywhere except St. Louis, and by tomorrow it is thought the rise here will be rapid.

A private telegram from Pittsburgh states that the rise there is almost half a foot an hour, and by tomorrow will have amounted to ten feet.

The weather bureau sent out the following Saturday night:

"Excessive rains for the past twenty-four to thirty-six hours over the upper Ohio watershed have caused a very rapid and dangerous rise in the upper Ohio river and its tributaries."

In anticipation of a flood of decided proportions warnings were issued of a 30 foot stage at Pittsburgh and danger line stages or over below Pittsburgh as far as Portsmouth, Ohio.

A Cincinnati dispatch says: The peculiar weather conditions during the week culminated in a storm of almost unprecedented dimensions, so distributed that a tremendous flood in the Ohio river is impending. All signs point to a stage of water that will bring devastation of a most serious nature all along the Ohio and its tributaries.

With warmer weather the vast snow area will melt and add to the great volume of water and floods of disastrous proportions will sweep down the Ohio valley within the next few days.

**Specials** from the upper Ohio valley indicate great alarm among the inhabitants of towns along the Ohio river and its tributaries. The flood has already reached many places. As a rule all those located in the lower districts are moving on to higher ground.

The situation in northern and eastern Ohio is reported worse than ever. Many places have been cut off and are isolated.

Pittsburgh is the center of the storm-stricken districts. The effects of the flood will possibly be the worst in its immediate vicinity.

Rain has been falling incessantly in and for many miles around Pittsburgh for sixty hours. All precipitation records are broken.

Up the Allegheny valley the report comes of two feet of snow. This had the effect of breaking down telegraph wires, crippling railroad service and mails are either delayed for hours or not arriving at

Heavy rains are reported throughout Kentucky.

Heavy snow and rain is reported in Virginia and southeastern states. In this section no great alarm is felt except farmers who have planted large areas of bottom land in corn, all of which will be destroyed if the predicted stage is reached.

Today's dispatches say:

### AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, April 22.—The waters are receding here, but there is again a pouring rain, and a second rise is reported in Allegheny river, which causes fear of a second flood. The damage in this section so far [is \$3,000,000. The mines are still closed, and few of the factories are open.

### AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati, April 20.—The danger

line was reached here at noon. Many houses here and at Covington and Newport are flooded. Hundreds of families are moving.

### AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, April 22.—It is raining in Eastern Kentucky, and snowing at Lexington. All the streams are rising rapidly, and much damage has been done along the banks.

### FIVE MURDERED.

TRAMPS IN FRANCE COMMIT AN ATROCIOUS CRIME.

Chartres, France, April 23.—This town has been horrified by the brutal murder of five children and the attempted murder of their father, a farmer named Briere, residing in the neighborhood of Chartres. Two tramps entered the farmhouse in the absence of Briere, killed four girls, aged respectively fourteen, eleven, five and four, and a boy seven years old, with knives and cudgels, while they were in bed and apparently asleep. Briere returned while the murderers were robbing the house. They heard him enter the courtyard, attacked him, and, after a desperate struggle, left him for dead with four stab wounds in the head. The murderers then escaped with 1,600 francs and a number of objects of value.

### PROMINENT BAPTIST.

MR. J. R. LOVELACE DIES AT ST. LOUIS FROM EFFECTS OF A FALL.

Mr. J. R. Lovelace, a prominent Baptist of Martin, Tenn., died in a sanitarium at St. Louis, where he had been since he received a fall there and fractured his hip recently.

He was a large contributor to Baptist institutions, and was a prominent and highly respected old gentleman. He leaves a wife and son.

The funeral took place at Martin. He leaves many relatives around Fulton and other parts of Kentucky.

### ASYLUM ATTENDANT MARRIES.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 23.—C. D. Mason, of Clinton, Ind., and Miss Hannah York, an attendant at the Western asylum, were married by the Rev. J. D. Irwin. The groom was formerly an attendant at the institution. Mr. and Mrs. Mason left for their future home in Indiana.

### PROMINENT WOMAN DIES.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 23.—Mrs. Sarah Ann Wills, sister of former Congressman John D. Clardy, died at the home of her son-in-law, P. E. Pendleton, near Pembroke. She was 65 years old and a member of Salem Baptist church. Consumption was the cause of death.

### ALL A FAKE.

The report in one of the Sunday papers that Mr. Will Gholson, one of Kilgore's timber men, had been killed near Birmingham, Marshall county, was a fake pure and simple. Mr. Gholson is alive and well and had no trouble of any kind.

### FULTON BOY'S SUCCESS.

Mr. Wm. Clarke, of Fulton, who graduated at Vanderbilt in June, has accepted a professorship in the distinguished faculty of Bellbuckle College, owned by Webb brothers. He is a son of Rev. J. G. Clarke, of Fulton.

### LONG-HOLMAN WEDDING.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 23.—Lucian Long, who resides in Henderson and Miss Mayne Holman, daughter of Jas. Holman, rock contractor of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, were married here.

### STILL AT LARGE.

James Childress, who killed Frank Lutz of Paducah, near Newbern, with a handstick used at log rollings, is still at large, but officers are searching for him.

### INDIANS HERE.

About one dozen Indians and cowboys arrived on the noon train from the reservation. They have joined the Buckskin Bill Wild West show.

Dr. D. C. K. Tanner, an Irish Nationalist leader, is dead.

## LATE DEALS

Mr. A. S. Thompson Resigns as Superintendent of the Street Railway Company.

### LEASES BARNHILL YARDS

He Will Enlarge the Business and Make it One of the Largest in the State.

### ALSO ANOTHER STOCK YARD DEAL

From Tuesday's Daily  
Mr. A. S. Thompson, the popular superintendent of the Paducah street railway, has resigned his position to take effect as soon as his successor is appointed, which will likely be in a few days.

Mr. Thompson has leased the big Barnhill stockyards at Thirteenth and Norton streets, and will give his entire attention to the business, which is one of the largest and most lucrative in Paducah.

Mr. Thompson is one of Paducah's best business men, and in assuming charge of the stock yards intends to make it one of the most extensive enterprises in Southwest Kentucky. His popularity and business sagacity insure his success, and he will have the best wishes of his many friends.

Supt. Geo. Wallace is now out of town after a man to take Mr. Thompson's place as superintendent of the Street car company, and when he returns will no doubt be ready to announce the name of Mr. Thompson's successor.

In addition to the deal which gives Mr. Thompson control of the Barnhill stockyards, there is talk of another stock yard here. According to reports Messrs. T. S. Vickers, of Hamlettsburg, Ill., and Messrs. Dave Dunn, of Smithland; J. M. Davis, L. C. Hibbs, of Birdsville; W. E. Chipp, of Bayou Mills and A. M. Robertson, of Smithland, were negotiating for the Barnhill yards, and failing to get them will establish new stock yards here investing \$10,000 or \$15,000 in the enterprise. They are said to have two locations on the Illinois Central, and will likely come here in a few days.

### YESUVIUS ACTIVE.

ONLY TWO SHOCKS OF EARTH-QUAKE HAVE THUS FAR BEEN FELT.

New York, April 23.—A dispatch to the World from Paris says:

Mt. Vesuvius is again in a state of active eruption and many people, scientists, students and the serious, including American tourists, are leaving Paris by every train for Naples. The first signs of disturbance were observed a week ago, when for three days columns of smoke issuing rapidly from the crater in great volume towered high above the volcano. Then came occasional rains of the cinders, sometimes sprinkling the country for several miles around. Now lava is beginning to run.

The fire at the crater is very intense at night, illuminating the surrounding region beautifully.

Only two slight tremors of earthquake have been felt so far.

### BOUGHT A HOTEL.

Messrs. T. A. Ledford, J. A. Thompson and B. Buchanan have purchased the Laclede Hotel at Hickman, Ky., from Seth Culin, paying \$6,500 for it.

The Tennessee senate committee reported that the charges of bribery against ex-Controller Harris by Senator Elbridge were not justified.

The Viceroy at Canton effected a scheme which, it is believed, will result in the killing off of at least 3,000 robbers during the summer.

## GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of Fine Tailor-made Suits at the Bazaar.

Early in the year we made arrangements to do the largest suit, skirt and waist business in Paducah. We searched the markets and purchased the largest and best variety that was ever shown by any house in Paducah. The prices are lower by one-third than any other concern. The goods are later, hang better, better styles and better fitting.

All our \$10 suits reduced for this sale to \$6.50.

All our \$15 suits reduced to \$10.

All our \$20 suits reduced to \$15.

### DRESS SKIRTS in Silk and Wool.

Silk skirts made of an excellent quality of taffeta, fifteen-inch appliqued flounce. This is well worth \$12. Our price \$7.98.

Silk Skirts made from the famous Windsor taffetas, tucked all over with three rows of taffeta and 15-inch flounce. This skirt sells everywhere for \$15. Our price \$10.

Women's Skirts, in fine sorges—fine venetians and fine broadcloths at \$5.00, \$6.98, 7.78, up to \$10.00, worth double the amount.

350 fine silk taffeta waists to close out at \$2.99.

Blacks, Old Rose, Cardinal, Lavender, Pink, Blue.

These waists range in price from \$4.50 to 7.50, all go in lot at \$2.98.

### Have you Visited Our MILINERY DEPARTMENT?

If not come tomorrow and see the largest line of pattern hats at low prices in Paducah.

150 new pattern hats, all shades.

Turban styles regular price \$4.00, our price \$2.00.

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Goodman's No. 1, Ky. Bourbon 6 yrs old	\$2.00
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North Carolina Corn Whiskey	1.50
Hollins G...	1.50 to 2.50
California Brandy	2.25 to 4.00
Apple Brandy	2.00 to 4.00
Peach Brandy	2.00 to 4.00
Port Wine	.85 to 1.50
Sherry Wine	.85 to 1.50
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## SENSIBLE CONCLUSION.

GOV. DURBIN'S ADVISER TELLS WHAT HE WOULD DO.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 23.—Attorney General W. L. Taylor, whom Gov. Durbin consults before issuing requisitions, said significantly: "My opinion is that the charges for bribery against ex-Controller Harris by Senator Elbridge were not justified.

The Tennessee senate committee reported that the charges of bribery against ex-Controller Harris by Senator Elbridge were not justified.

## ROSS CASE.

THE CELEBRATED MURDER CASE AGAIN CONTINUED.

The case against Tom Ross, charged with complicity in the murder of Walter Hook at Grand Rivers a few years ago, was called in the Smithland circuit court yesterday and continued on account of the absence of witnesses.

Ruben Ross, a brother, was given a life sentence.

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